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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY

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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice Of Incomplete Reply mailed on 02/06/02, please include the following abstract, which is herein submitted on a separate page. This amendment does not introduce any new matter to the application as filed.

REMARKS

An abstract of the disclosure had been submitted in the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts on 23 January 2002. Applicant respectfully requests that the following abstract be included as part of the specification of the aboveidentified application.

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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 01/23/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 08/01/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

Abstract must be on a separate sheet.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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